

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The invention concerns a footwear designed for a plurality of sports for protecting a user's feet and legs. The invention is characterized in that the footwear comprises: a first rigid shell defining a body (2) adapted to receive a user's foot and extending along an elongation direction (8); a second rigid shell defining an upper (4) designed to receive the user's leg and extending substantially along a rising direction (10); an articulation (6), linking the body to the upper, having specific mechanical strength characteristics. A range of articulations having different mechanical strength characteristics can be fixed to the first and second shells to accommodate the physiological differences between the various uses of such footwear articles and/or to the differences between the various sports for which said footwear articles may be used.